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NATIVE-BORN JAPANESE MALES, 18 TO 35 YEARS OF  
 AGE EVACUATED TO WAR RELOCATION PROJECTS: 1942

Age	Total	WITH WIFE		WITHOUT WIFE		
		Number	Percent	Total	Parent 65 or over	All others
Total, 18-35 years..	18,727	3,937	21.0	14,790	1,294	13,496
18 and 19 years..	3,745	7	-	3,738	251	3,487
18 years.....	1,802	1	-	1,701	109	1,692
19 years.....	1,943	6	-	1,937	142	1,795
Total, 20-24 years..	7,649	442	5.8	7,207	598	6,609
20 years.....	2,039	23	1.1	2,016	128	1,888
21 years.....	1,974	54	2.7	1,920	159	1,761
22 years.....	1,394	77	5.5	1,317	109	1,208
23 years.....	1,133	105	9.3	1,028	97	931
24 years.....	1,109	183	16.5	926	105	821
Total, 25-29 years..	4,774	1,834	38.4	2,940	312	2,628
25 years.....	1,070	270	25.2	800	70	730
26 years.....	1,075	330	30.7	745	79	666
27 years.....	992	404	40.7	588	60	528
28 years.....	903	427	47.3	476	61	415
29 years.....	734	403	54.9	331	42	289
Total, 30-34 years..	2,231	1,412	63.3	819	123	696
30 years.....	621	372	59.9	249	36	213
31 years.....	480	300	62.5	180	33	147
32 years.....	434	277	63.8	157	21	136
33 years.....	389	255	65.6	134	20	114
34 years.....	307	208	67.8	99	13	86
Total, 35 years.....	328	242	73.8	86	10	76

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NATIVE-BORN JAPANESE MALES, 18 TO 35 YEARS OF  
 AGE, BY RELOCATION PROJECT TO WHICH THEY WERE EVACUATED

Relocation Project	Total	WITH WIFE		WITHOUT WIFE		All others
		Number	Percent	Total	Parent 65 or over	
All Projects..	18,727	3,937	21.0	14,790	1,294	13,496
Central Utah.....	1,435	332	23.1	1,103	118	985
Colorado River....	2,926	584	20.0	2,342	207	2,135
Gila River.....	1,995	417	21.9	1,578	128	1,464
Granada.....	1,343	315	23.5	1,028	99	929
Heart Mountain....	1,796	405	22.6	1,391	132	1,259
Jerome.....	1,423	317	22.3	1,106	89	1,017
Manzanar.....	1,793	372	20.1	1,421	114	1,307
Minidoka.....	1,778	350	19.7	1,428	88	1,340
Rohwer.....	1,508	314	20.8	1,194	107	1,087
Tule Lake.....	3,275	531	16.2	2,185	212	1,973

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NATIVE-BORN JAPANESE MALES, 17 YEARS OF AGE  
 EVACUATED TO THE WAR RELOCATION PROJECTS: 1942

	Total	Parent 65 or more	All others
Total, 17 years...	1,609 *	101	1,507
Central Utah...	113	4	109
Colorado River.	282	20	262
Gila River.....	163	13	150
Granada.....	118	8	110
Heart Mountain.	144	9	135
Jerome.....	128	8	120
Manzanar.....	146	12	134
Minidoka.....	148	7	141
Rohwer.....	121 *	4	116
Tule Lake.....	246	16	230

\* Includes one man with wife.

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NATIVE-BORN JAPANESE MALES, 18 TO 35 YEARS OF AGE  
 EVACUATED TO THE CENTRAL UTAH WAR  
 RELOCATION PROJECT: 1942

Age	Total	WITH WIFE		WITHOUT WIFE		
		Number	Percent	Total	Parent 65 or over	All others
Total, 18-35 years..	1,435	332	23.1	1,103	118	985
18 and 19 years..	239	-	-	239	20	219
20 to 24 years..	555	42	7.6	513	50	463
25 to 29 years..	394	150	38.1	244	28	216
30 to 34 years..	218	120	55.0	98	19	79
35 years.....	29	20	69.0	9	1	8

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NATIVE-BORN JAPANESE MALES, 18 TO 35 YEARS OF AGE  
 EVACUATED TO THE COLORADO RIVER  
 WAR RELOCATION PROJECT: 1942

Age	Total	WITH WIFE		WITHOUT WIFE		
		Number	Percent	Total	Parent 65 or over	All others
Total, 18-35 years..	2,926	584	20.0	2,342	207	2,135
18 and 19 years..	615	1	-	614	46	568
20 to 24 years...	1,213	68	5.6	1,145	88	1,057
25 to 29 years...	729	278	38.1	451	54	397
30 to 34 years...	327	207	63.3	120	18	102
35 years.....	42	30	71.4	12	1	11

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NATIVE-BORN JAPANESE, 18 TO 35 YEARS OF AGE  
 EVACUATED TO THE GILA RIVER  
 WAR RELOCATION PROJECT: 1942

Age	Total	WITH WIFE		WITHOUT WIFE		
		Number	Percent	Total	Parent 65 or over	All others
Total, 18-35 years.	1,995	417	21.9	1,578	128	1,464
18 and 19 years.	408	1	-	407	29	378
20 to 24 years..	804	45	5.6	759	63	710
25 to 29 years..	522	198	37.9	324	25	299
30 to 34 years..	217	137	63.1	80	10	70
35 years.....	44	36	81.8	8	1	7

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NATIVE-BORN JAPANESE MALES, 18 TO 35 YEARS OF AGE  
 EVACUATED TO THE GRANADA  
 WAR RELOCATION PROJECT: 1942

Age	Total	WITH WIFE		WITHOUT WIFE		
		Number	Percent	Total	Parent 65 or over	All others
Total, 18-35 years.	1,543	315	23.5	1,028	99	929
18 and 19 years.	270	1	-	269	19	250
20 to 24 years..	541	41	7.6	500	41	459
25 to 29 years..	328	136	41.5	192	27	165
30 to 34 years..	177	119	67.2	58	10	48
35 years.....	27	18	66.7	9	2	7



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NATIVE-BORN JAPANESE MALES, 18 to 35 YEARS OF AGE  
 EVACUATED TO THE HEART MOUNTAIN WAR  
 RELOCATION PROJECT: 1942

Age	Total	WITH WIFE		WITHOUT WIFE		
		Number	Percent	Total	Parent 65 or over	All others
Total, 18-35 years...	1796	405	22.6	1391	132	1259
18 and 19 years...	309	1	-	308	23	285
20 to 24 years....	727	45	6.2	682	63	619
25 to 29 years....	486	188	38.7	298	31	267
30 to 34 years....	241	151	62.7	90	15	75
35 years.....	33	20	60.6	13	-	13

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NATIVE-BORN JAPANESE MALES, 18 TO 35 YEARS OF AGE  
 EVACUATED TO THE JEROME WAR RE-  
 LOCATION PROJECT: 1942

Age	Total	WITH WIFE		WITHOUT WIFE		
		Number	Percent	Total	Parent 65 or over	All others
Total, 18-35 years..	1,423	317	22.3	1,106	89	1,017
18 and 19 years..	305	-	-	305	15	290
20 to 24 years...	562	24	4.3	538	46	492
25 to 29 years...	370	158	42.7	212	24	188
30 to 34 years...	166	119	71.7	47	4	43
35 years.....	20	16	80.0	4	-	4

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NATIVE-BORN JAPANESE MALES, 18 to 35 YEARS OF AGE  
 EVACUATED TO THE MANZANAR WAR RE-  
 LOCATION PROJECT: 1942

Age	Total	WITH WIFE		WITHOUT WIFE		
		Number	Percent	Total	Parent 65 or over	All others
Total, 18-35 years...	1793	372	20.1	1421	114	1307
18 and 19 years...	365	1	-	364	26	338
20 to 24 years....	729	39	5.3	690	57	633
25 to 29 years....	466	178	38.2	288	21	267
30 to 34 years....	194	122	62.9	72	9	63
35 years.....	39	32	82.1	7	1	6

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NATIVE-BORN JAPANESE MALES, 18 TO 35 YEARS OF AGE  
 EVACUATED TO THE MINIDOKA WAR RE-  
 LOCATION PROJECT: 1942

Age	Total	WITH WIFE		WITHOUT WIFE		
		Number	Percent	Total	65 Parent or over	All others
Total, 18-35 years..	1,778	350	19.7	1,428	88	1,340
18 and 19 years..	399	-	-	399	18	381
20 to 24 years...	750	51	6.8	699	41	658
25 to 29 years...	422	156	37.0	266	19	247
30 to 34 years...	190	130	68.4	60	9	51
35 years.....	17	13	76.5	4	1	3

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 EVACUATED TO THE HONNOR WAR RE-  
 LOCATION PROJECT: 1942

Age	Total	WITH WIFE		WITHOUT WIFE		
		Number	Percent	Total	Parent 65 or over	All others
Total, 18-35 years...	1508	314	20.8	1194	107	1087
18 and 19 years...	277	1	-	276	17	259
20 to 24 years....	617	37	6.0	580	54	526
25 to 29 years....	391	140	35.8	251	23	228
30 to 34 years....	188	111	59.0	77	11	66
35 years.....	35	25	71.4	10	2	8

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NATIVE-BORN JAPANESE MALES, 18 TO 35 YEARS OF AGE  
 EVACUATED TO THE TULE LAKE  
 WAR RELOCATION PROJECT: 1942

Age	Total	WITH WIFE		WITHOUT WIFE		
		Number	Percent	Total	Parent 65 or over	All others
Total, 18 to 35 years..	3,275	531	16.2	2,185	212	1,973
18 and 19 years.....	558	1	-	557	38	519
20 to 24 years.....	1,137	50	4.4	1,087	95	992
25 to 29 years.....	978	252	25.8	414	60	354
30 to 34 years.....	527	196	37.2	117	18	99
35 years.....	75	32	42.7	10	1	9

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JAPANESE AND WHITE SELECTEES EXAMINED BY THE SAN FRANCISCO  
 RECRUITING AND INDUCTION STATION, BY MONTHS FOR 1941\*

Month	JAPANESE			WHITE		
	Reported	Inducted	Rejected	Reported	Inducted	Rejected
All Months	463	421	42	15,445	14,111	1,334
<u>Percent</u>	<u>100.0</u>	<u>90.9</u>	<u>9.1</u>	<u>100.0</u>	<u>91.4</u>	<u>8.6</u>
January.....	29	27	2	1,364	1,247	117
February.....	52	49	3	1,742	1,631	111
March.....	108	101	7	3,202	2,945	257
April.....	51	51	-	1,638	1,508	130
May.....	11	7	4	420	365	55
June.....	25	22	3	1,232	1,092	140
July.....	38	34	4	978	848	130
August.....	18	16	2	626	554	72
September.....	29	27	2	632	585	47
October.....	74	61	13	2,101	1,951	150
November.....	27	26	1	883	815	68
December.....	1	-	1	627	570	57

\*Compiled by WCCA from daily "Report of Inductions and Rejections, by Race" for calendar year 1941, by permission of Colonel G. T. Perkins.



November 4, 1942.

Mr. John Franklin Carter,  
1210 National Press Building,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Carter:

Your letter of October 22nd to General Strong has been submitted to me. I find by conference with the President that there was evidently very considerable misapprehension in your mind as to the extent of his views and mine on the subject which you discussed with me the other day.

We do not consider it wise to organize units composed of nationals of an enemy, whether German, Japanese or Italian, in the United States Army, and I do not think you had better take any steps forward in preparation of such matters. It may later become feasible and advisable to have small racial units of allied nationals available in this country such as Poles, Czechs, Norwegians and similar resident aliens. And this was mentioned in the conference I had with the President. But he left the matter entirely in my hands, and I am not ready to act without further advice from the General Staff of the Army.

I am much obliged to you for your interest in the matter, but I do not think that it is advisable for you to proceed further on it at the present time. If it should become so, I will let you know.

Very sincerely yours,

HENRY L. STIMSON  
Secretary of War.

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x - Geo. V. Strong

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